

Key modelling data for UCB half-year results 2025

As of July 2, 2025

The UCB IR Team has compiled the following items to assist capital market participants in preparation of the upcoming half-year results 2025 publication, scheduled for July 31, 2025.

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Full-Year and Half-Year 2024 results

Latest data [here](#)

Guidance 2025 ([Website](#))

Revenue: near €6.5-6.7bn

Adjusted EBITDA: 30%

Core EPS: €6.80-7.40

Reminder for sales & divestments throughout 2024:

- There was a sale of two established brands, Atarax[®] and Nootropil[®] for Europe and selected countries in Latin-America and Asia-Pacific to ADVANZ PHARMA in November 2024. The proceeds from this sale in 2024 are booked under "other revenue". The net sales linked to these products amounted to € 49 million in 2024. No such transaction has occurred in the first half of 2025.
- There was a divestment of UCB's mature neurology and allergy business in China, including Keppra[®], Vimpat[®], Neupro[®], Zyrtec[®], Xyzal[®] and the Zhuhai manufacturing site to CBC Group and Mubadala Investment Company for an amount of US\$680 million. Closing occurred in November 2024. Combined net sales of these medicines in China amounted to € 131 million for January to November 2024, out of which approximately € 90 million for Keppra in China. The proceeds of this transaction are recorded below adjusted EBITDA and EBIT and did not impact the guidance perimeters.
- In the second half of 2024, Minzasolmin asset in Parkinson's disease generated additional termination revenue of € 92 million (recognized in research and development expenses).

Main drivers for 2025 performance ([Source](#))

- Strong growth driven by BIMZELX[®], FINTEPLA[®], RYSTIGGO[®], ZILBRYSQ[®], EVENITY[®], BRIVIACT[®], despite impact of 340B and Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) across portfolio. CIMZIA[®] volume growth expected to be overcompensated by pricing pressure
- Continued gross margin improvement
- Operating Leverage improvement, continued growth of marketing and sales expenses driven by top-line growth and relatively stable R&D expenses
- Continued EVENITY[®] earnings contribution

Consensus

Latest external VisibleAlpha consensus available [on our website.](#)

BIMZELX®

Reaching over 65,000 patients (as per last communication [April 2025](#))

Exclusivity

- US exclusivity (RDP = regulatory data protection): 2035 – not including potential patent term extension until 2037
- EU exclusivity: 2036 (EU)
- Japan exclusivity: 2037 - not including potential patent term extension

Approvals

US: Approved for 5 distinct indication in major markets including Hidradenitis Suppurativa (HS) in the US in [November 2024](#).

Formulary access: BIMZELX® covered and available for 8 out of 10 commercially insured lives (Double-step edit or better) – as per [February 2025](#). As of January 2025, UCB has enhanced access to 1st-line therapy with one of the top payers, while it has obtained single-step and double-step edits for the other 2 top payers. For Rheumatology indications, UCB has achieved single-step edit access with one leading payer and double-step edit access with the other two top payers (pages 9 and 10 of [Capital Market Earnings Call](#)). For HS coverage, we have obtained single-step edit with one of leading payer and the negotiations are ongoing.

EU: Approved in all indications in major markets

Japan: Approved in all indications including for HS in September 2024.

Start of phase [3 pediatric indications](#) in psoriasis (PSO) and hidradenitis suppurativa (HS)

Two-year BIMZELX®(bimekizumab-bkzx) data at EHSF in HS [February 2025](#)

Two-year BIMZELX®(bimekizumab-bkzx) data at AAD in HS [March 2025](#)

Five-year BIMZELX®(bimekizumab-bkzx) data at AAD in PSO [March 2025](#)

Three-year BIMZELX®(bimekizumab-bkzx) data at EULAR in PsA and axSpA [June 2025](#)

EVENITY®

Evenity® is being developed and commercialized in collaboration with Amgen globally, as well as with Astellas in Japan. UCB books the EU sales and EU OPEX, Amgen books US, Japan and RoW sales, details on slide 25 in our [Facts & Figures](#)

50/50 net profit split booked in "Other operating income".

Amgen reported Q3/2024 net sales of US\$ 442mn (Slide 8 in [Amgen's Q1 presentation](#)), +29% YoY growth.

UCB presented four abstracts at [WCO-IOF-ESCEO 2025](#), further demonstrating the real-world evidence of romosozumab for patients at high fracture risk

FINTEPLA®

Positive results from GEMZ phase 3 study of fenfluramine in CDKL5 Deficiency Disorder in [June 2025](#)

US: Loss of Exclusivity: Q4 2033¹

RYSTIGGO®

Approval in Europe and Japan for two new self-administration methods in [March 2025](#) and [May 2025](#)

Data presentation linked to findings from the Phase 3, open-label, crossover (MG0020) study evaluating patient preferences, experiences and safety of self-administered of rozanolixizumab at 15th Myasthenia Gravis Foundation of America (MGFA) International Conference in [May 2025](#)

ZILBRYSQ®

Requirement for **completed vaccination for meningococcal** for the entire C5 class.

Data presentation linked to a 120-week post hoc analysis of RAISE-XT, which examines early and sustained response over time with zilucoplan in the treatment of generalized myasthenia gravis at 15th Myasthenia Gravis Foundation of America (MGFA) International Conference in [May 2025](#)

BRIVIACT®

US: Loss of exclusivity February 2026¹

EU: Loss of exclusivity August 2026¹

Peak sales guidance of at least €600m by 2026, achieved already in 2024

CIMZIA®

Japan: Loss of exclusivity June 2026¹

Current assumption for first possible biosimilar market entry: 2029 (no listing on clinicaltrials.gov as of today). Price pressure is increasing due to among others 340B rules in the U.S., which is expected to be not compensated by volume growth. High single digit decline in the net sales in the US is expected.



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Driven by **science.**

Pipeline

Pipeline [on our website](#)

Fenfluramine: Positive results from GEMZ phase 3 study of fenfluramine in CDKL5 Deficiency Disorder in [June 2025](#)

Phase 2a data for UCB0022/ glovadalen in Parkinson's disease are expected in the first half of 2025 and will be disclosed during our Half-Year 2025 results on 31 July.

New data on investigational therapy for thymidine kinase 2 deficiency presented at Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) 2025 Conference in [March 2025](#)

Dapirolizumab Pegol Phase 3 Data in SLE Presented at the Annual European Congress of Rheumatology (EULAR) Show Improvement in Fatigue and Reduction in Disease Activity in [June 2025](#)

¹ Loss of exclusivity dates are indicative.